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PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 04329.2222-01

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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Kouji MATSUO et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 2814
	)	
Application No.: 10/815,932	)	Examiner: Rao, Shrinivas H.
	)	
Filed: April 2, 2004	)	Confirmation No. 9409
	)	
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE	)	
AND METHOD OF	)	
MANUFACTURING THE SAME	)	

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

In reply to the Office Action mailed March 21, 2007, the period for response to which extends through June 21, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are set forth beginning on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.